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STABILIZATION OF VCSELS USING
INCREASED BIAS CURRENT

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Response is being filed responsive to the Office Action of July 14, 2003. In view of the comments set forth below, the Applicants urge reconsideration of the outstanding rejections and respectfully request reexamination of the application.

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